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SUBJECT: 2015 Joint Effort - Colorado Basketball Awards to Recognize Bob Caton, Mike Croell, Brian Carey, Overland H.S. Boys State Champs and More

Media Release

Joint Effort Prime Time Hoops announced today the recipients of the Joint Effort Colorado Basketball Awards for 2015. The Annual Joint Effort Colorado Basketball Awards will be presented on Thursday, April 9, 2015 at the Manual High School Thunderdome as a part of the Joint Effort Colorado Basketball Classic and Western Regional Tournament scheduled for April 6-11, 2015.

There will be a special presentation to the Joint Effort Basketball Lifetime Achievement Award to Bob Caton (Highlands Ranch) and Mike Croell (Broomfield) as well as Community Service Awards to Matt Langley, J.J. Pellini and City Preps Radio. There will also be a Joint Effort Community Recognition of the 2015 5A Colorado Boys State Basketball Champions, Overland High School.

In addition, the 2015 Joint Effort Boys Players of the Year are Brian Carey (Denver East High School) and D' Ron Davis (Overland High School). The 2015 Joint Effort Girls Player of the year is Callie Kaiser (Broomfield High School). Joint Effort will also recognize the Colorado and DPL Coaches of the Year, and DPL Player of the Year.

During the week-long series of games, Joint Effort will also sponsor the Montbello Hoops, History and Community Pride Night from 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. on Friday, April 10th at Montbello High School. This Montbello Warrior Hoops Re-union will be held at 7:30pm and will bring together and acknowledge former and current staff, administrators, students, parents and community supporters of Montbello High School. This gathering of the past and the present will also include a special recognition of the Craig Jackson led 1984 Colorado 5A State Boys Basketball Champions and the Nikki Weddle led 1997 Colorado Girls 5A State Basketball Champions. Prior to the recognition ceremony at 7:00pm, there will be there will be a DPS Top 25 All Time Old Timers Game featuring Johnnie Reece, Chucky Sprolings Tyrone Buckmon, Nate Nelson, Keith Abeyta and more of the best city players of all time participating.

Further, the Joint Effort Basketball Classic will include all-star games, club challenge games, games for Colorado's top 7th graders through senior high school (boys and girls), a slam dunk contest, 3-pt. shootout, college coaches, awards and much more.

For more information on the Joint Effort Colorado Basketball Classic and all The Joint Effort Hoop Festival activities call John Bailey at (303) 745-9649 or (720) 629-0964.

2 Attachments

1. List of Awards and Award Recipients
2. Game Schedule

2015 Joint Effort Colorado Basketball Awards

Joint Effort Player of the Year

(Boys) Brian Carey, Denver East High School
(Boys) D'Ron Davis, Overland High School
(Girls) Callie Kaiser, Broomfield High School

Denver Prep League Player of the Year

(Boys) Brian Carey, Denver East High School
(Girls) Jon'nae Richardson, Denver East High School

Joint Effort Colorado Coach of the Year

(Boys) Danny Fisher, Overland High School
(Girls) Mike Croell, Broomfield High School

Denver Prep League Coach of the Year

(Boys) Reggie Hammond, Geo Washington High School
(Girls) Dwight Berry, Denver East High School

Joint Effort All-Colorado Basketball Team

Brian Carey, Denver East High School
Jordan Willis, Denver East High School
Jeremiah Hopolite, George Washington High School
Elijah Hewitt, George Washington High School
Troy Greene, Montbello High School
Malik Hart, Montbello High School
Michael Sparks, Abraham Lincoln High School
D'Ron Davis, Overland High School
Austin Conway, Overland High School
Ryan Swan, Overland High School
Reggie Gibson, Overland High School
Elijah Ross, Eaglecrest High School
Blend Avdili, Eaglecrest High School
KipBoryla, Regis High School
Taylor Kallsen, Regis High School
Brian Staerkel, Regis High School
Jake Holtzman, Chaparral High School
Chris Moody, Chaparral High School
Zach Birog, Thunderridge High School
Jalen Davis, Rangeview High School
Tarren Storey-Way, Rangeview High School
Jacob Montour, Northglenn High School
Luke Schwindaman, Prarie View High School
Kelsey Williams, Hinkley High School
Mitch Lombard-Rock, Rock Canyon High School
Tyler Garcia, Rock Canyon High School
Daezionate Henderson, Thornton High School
Thomas Neff, Arvada West High School
Jalen Rose, Thomas Jefferson High School
Josh McNair, Thomas Jefferson High School

Players to Watch

David Thornton, Cherokee Trails High School
Calvin Fugett, Montbello High School
Colby Ross, Eaglecrest High School
Geoff Kelly, Regis High School
Jared Small, Legend High School
Monroe Porter, Legend High School
Riley Matticks, Legend High School
Danny Garricks, Legend High School
Elijah Blake, Rangeview High School
Solomon Procter, Hinkley High School
Ladarius Thomas, Aurora Central High School
Datone Jennings, Aurora Central High School
Elijah Coleman, Aurora Central High School
Jack Buckmelter, Denver East High School
Deron Harrell, Denver East High School
Samba Dioum, Denver East High School
Padet Wang, Overland High School
Alljah Halliburton, Overland High School
Brett Halliburton, Overland High School
Luke Neff, Arvada West High School
Nathan Davis, Mullen High School
Ronnie Barfield, Cherokee Trails High School
Cameron Davis, Valor Christian High School
Antonio Capley, Ralston Valley High School
Henry Cooper-Thomas Jefferson High School

Joint Effort Lifetime Achievement Award

Bob Caton
Mike Croell

Joint Effort Community Service Awards

Matt Langley
J.J. Pellini
City Prep Radio

Joint Effort Community Salute

5A Colorado Boys State Basketball Champions
Overland High School.



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COLORADO BASKETBALL CLASSIC & WESTERN REGIONAL TOURNEY

APRIL 6-11, 2015  6 GREAT DAYS OF COLORADO HOOPS

Monday, 4/6 Manual High School

4:00 p.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
5:00 p.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
6:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
7:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
8:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game

Tuesday, 4/7, Manual High School

4:00 p.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
5:00 p.m. H.S. Girls Challenge Game
6:00 p.m. H.S. Club Challenge Game
7:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
8:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game

Wednesday, 4/8, Manual High School

4:00 p.m. Youth/Club Challenge Game
5:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
6:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
7:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
8:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game

Thursday, 4/9, Manual High School

4:00 p.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
5:00 p.m. Top Underclass Boys All-Star Game
6:00 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game
7:00 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game
8:00 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game

Friday, 4/10, Montbello High School

5:00 p.m. Youth Game
6:00 p.m. Girl's HS Challenge Game
7:00 p.m. Old Timers Game " Warriors vs.DPS/Colorado All-Stars"
7:30 p.m. Community Recognition/Awards Presentation
8:00 p.m. Boy's H.S. Challenge Game
900 p.m. Boy's H.S. Challenge Game

Saturday, 4/11, Manual High School

9:00 a.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
10:00 a.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
11:00 a.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
Noon H.S. / Club Challenge Game
1:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
2:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
3:00 p.m. H.S. / Club Challenge Game
4:00 p.m. Youth / Club Challenge Game
5:00 p.m. Slam Dunk / 3-Pt. Shootout / Awards
5:30 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game
6:45 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game
8:00 p.m. Senior Boys Challenge Game

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